



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67159

Masami OISHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/987,085

Group Art Unit: 2652

Confirmation No.: 6327

Examiner: Peter Vincent AGUSTIN

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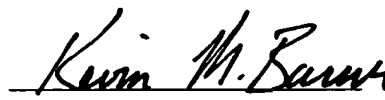
Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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